

PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

June 7, 1985

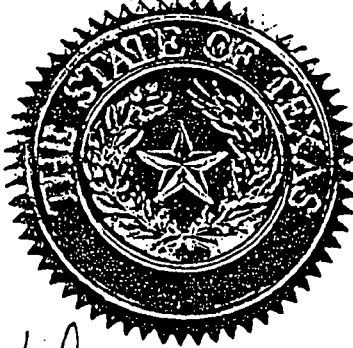
Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Constitution of Texas, I hereby veto House Concurrent Resolution 72 because of the following objection:

This resolution to sue, sought by Albert and Florence Gorelick, seeks the State's permission to bring suit against the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

This resolution is not in the best interests of the State of Texas. These persons have already pursued two lawsuits involving the same allegations, one in federal court and the other in state court. The Gorelicks had two factual adjudications of their claims and lost in both instances.

This resolution to sue would merely perpetuate this litigation and would unduly waste the limited resources of this State by forcing it to continue to defend claims that have twice before been adjudicated. It would be an unfair and unjust burden on this State, its courts, as well as other litigants awaiting determination of their claims, to allow this litigation to continue.

Therefore, I veto H.C.R. 72.



Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Mark White".

Mark White
Governor of Texas

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Myra A. McDaniel".

Myra A. McDaniel
Secretary of State